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Wednesday and Thursday
Sept. 16 and 17 Everybody Invited

COAST, BAR AND RIVER NEWS OF THE HOUR

CRAFT ARRIVING AND DEPARTING IN AND FROM ASTORIA
—AND THEIR MASTERS, MEN AND MESSAGES

The steamship Boveric finished loading at the Columbia mills at Knappton yesterday, and was cleared for Sydney, Australia, via San Francisco, by Deputy Collector of Customs Collier, of Tacoma; she left out during the afternoon.

The steamer Lurline was an hour behind her schedule last evening, owing to a lot of way business en route, but got away from here with all she could carry.

The steamer Homer arrived in from the Bay City yesterday and docked at the Callender, where she discharged 70 tons of local freights, and then departed from Portland.

The Alliance came in from Coos yesterday with plenty of business on all decks after a short stay at the Callender dock went on to the metropolis.

The fine schooner Mabel Gale will finish loading at the Simpson mills at Knappton on Monday next, and depart at once for Molendo, Peru.

That Spencer made it down in good time yesterday and went back to the metropolis with a snug lot of business.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder is due down from Portland tomorrow morning on her way to the California coast.

The Elmore motor schooner Gerald C., arrived down from Portland yesterday and left out immediately for the lower coast.

The steamer Breakwater is due down from Portland this morning en route to Coos Bay.

TEA

Moneyback means that the tea is good and well worth the money.

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Here are the handiest things you wear; "all kid" and yet genuine. Fit the purse as well as the hand. Fancy stitched, well sewn and in all the latest styles and colors. No wrinkles, no bursting stitches, or buttons that fly off without notice. We are ready for "all hands" of female sex. Also a complete line of silk gloves. Please bring your hands with you.

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Suits, Cloaks and Millinery

MAYOR VETOS PLAN OF 46TH ST. WHARF

ENTIRE BURDEN OF COST
WOULD HAVE FALLEN UP-
ON ONLY A FEW PROP-
ERTY HOLDERS

Mayor Wise yesterday returned without his signature the ordinance providing for the improvement of Forty-sixth street and the building of a public pier and dock there. The object of the improvement was primarily to provide for a public landing place, and the Mayor states his reasons for his veto, which is herewith given in full:

"To the Honorable City Council of the City of Astoria.

"Gentlemen:—I herewith return without my signature an ordinance entitled an ordinance 'providing for the time and manner of improving Forty-sixth street from the north line of the alleyway running through blocks 102 and 103, in Adair's Port of Upper Astoria, to a point 905 feet northerly thereof.'

"The building of this street has been started in order to provide a public landing in that part of the city; I am heartily in favor of the project and only desire to submit for your consideration this proposition: if this street is to be built at the present time mainly for the purpose of providing a public landing for the benefit of all the people, by building a wharf 40 feet by 75 feet with the necessary slips, handrails and etc., when otherwise said street would probably not be improved at present or at least not so great a distance out in the river, whether the public generally should not be required to pay a part of the expense necessary to pay for this public landing, rather than ask a very few property owners to stand the whole burthen. I therefore respectfully return this ordinance so that your honorable body may give it further consideration.

"Respectfully,
"HERMAN WISE,
"Mayor."

The Mayor's action is in effect a veto, though he states that he "returns this ordinance so that your honorable body may give it further consideration." The Mayor's objection is that the improvement is such that it will be a benefit to a large part of the population in that portion of the city, and that therefore it is not equitable to impose the entire burden of paying for it upon only a few. That the Mayor will be commended for his action is highly probable and it seems evident that the members of the council probably passed the ordinance without having their attention called to the phase of the matter which led the Mayor to lend his veto. It seems to be agreed on all sides that the improvement is one that is desirable. The people of that part of the city have now no public landing, and in case of funerals and other similar occasions when a considerable body of people wish to take a boat there, no opportunity is offered them to do so, save by using the Hume wharf, whose owners have courteously accorded them this privilege on many occasions. But at present the Hume wharf may not be used and it is apparently asking too much to expect the public to use a private wharf as if it were a public one.

But, in the manner that the ordinance had been prepared, the whole cost of the project would have fallen upon the shoulders of less than half a dozen property owners—said to be only five, of them. The cost would have been \$4500 and manifestly this burden would not have been a fair one.

It is said to be probable that the council may agree with the Mayor, since their attention is called to the apparent inequity of the present, and will arrange for a wider assessment district.

Or, the council may possibly think that the present assessment on the very few is only fair, on the possible grounds that their property would be greatly enhanced in value because of its proximity to the public landing place.

COMMISSIONER ARRIVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Commissioner Thos. Estil, who will take charge of the Salvation Army's work in the west and north, with headquarters in Chicago, arrived yesterday from Japan and was greeted by Colonels Chas. Miles and George French, the latter having come from Chicago to meet the new commissioner.

OUT OF 72 WARRANTS ONLY 5 ARRESTS

WITHOUT BAIL, JAIL WOULD
NOT HOLD ALL THE FISHERMEN COMPLAINED OF

Seventy-two complaints had been filed in justice court against fishermen up to the close of the day yesterday, but out of all these complaints only five arrests had been made at dark last evening. The sheriff's began to aid in the service of the complaints last night and probably its efforts will materially add to the list of arrests.

While the water bailiffs were in momentary expectation of some action being taken yesterday to restrain them in their campaign against the fishermen, nothing happened and they continued at their work without intermission.

The complaints charge various kinds of alleged violations of the fishing laws. Each man arrested is compelled to put up the sum of \$50 bail money, and in lieu thereof he would be compelled to go to jail. There was some talk of the fishermen refusing bail, and in that event the county jail would not hold all the men for whom warrants have been or will be issued. The outcome of the matter is said to be quite problematical, and the laws are so badly mixed up that few there are who wish to make any forecast of what the end of the matter will be. Of course the principal matter of contention will be the question of the right of Oregon officials making arrests on the Washington side, and even against the Washington shore, and the question of the two states having concurrent jurisdiction in the river is one that the higher courts will have to pass upon before a solution is reached, it seems probable.

Thunder And Lightning.

That's what the man of the house said when he heard there were twins at home. Thunder and lightning was what the beef trust said when it heard Smith had captured Astoria. Read Smith's ad, page 5.

NEW TO-DAY

The O. K. Chop House is now open at Twelfth street, north of Commercial. Short orders and oysters at all hours. 9-15-6t

All Things Modern.

"The Modern," the beautiful tonorial establishment of Arthur E. Petersen, at 572 Commercial street in this city, is unquestionably the real resort for the most perfect treatment in this behalf, and the most critical finds nothing to criticize there, how soever often he visits the place.

The Palace Restaurant.

Any phase of hunger can be daintily gratified at any hour of the day or night at the Palace Restaurant. The kitchen and dining room service are of the positive best. Private dining rooms for ladies. One call inspires regular custom. Try it. Commercial street, opposite Page building.

The Commercial.

One of the coziest and most popular resorts in the city is the Commercial. A new billiard room, a pleasant sitting room and handsome fixtures all go to make an agreeable meeting place for gentlemen, there to discuss the topics of the day, play a game of billiards and enjoy the fine refreshments served there. The best of goods are only handled, and this fact being so well known, a large business is done at the Commercial, on Commercial street, near Eleventh.

New Grocery Store.

Try our own mixture of coffee—the J. P. B. Fresh fruit and vegetables Badollet & Co., grocers. Phone Main 1281.

The Clean Man.

The man who delights in personal cleanliness, and enjoys his shave, shampoo, haircut, and bath, in Astoria, always goes to the Occident barber shop for these things—and gets them at their best.

COAL AND WOOD

If you want a good load of fir or boxwood, or of coal, ring up Kelly the COAL AND WOOD DEALER. Good household and steam coal delivered at \$7.50.

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The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

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Will End

Almost the entire three carloads of Pianos sold in sixteen days. Greatest values in high-grade instruments ever offered on the Coast. A FEW CHANCES still left to save \$150 to \$238 on your piano.



Some Specials

During this sale we have traded in some fine pianos and organs as part payment on Pianola Pianos, Baby Grand and Electric Pianos—some of these have only been used a short time and are almost like new.

One fine Antique Oak Large Size Upright; cost when new \$475; now only.....\$227
One beautiful Mahogany, leading New York make; cost when new \$500; now only ..\$268
One superb Walnut Case Organ; beautiful tone; cost when new \$145; now only.....\$43
One Full Concert Size Upright Piano; ebony case; cost when new \$750; now only....\$100

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